

Heyward Career and Technology Center

3560 Lynhaven Drive
Columbia, SC 29045

Grades	9-12 Career Center	
Enrollment	872 Students	
Director	Sherry Rivers	803-735-3343
Board Chair	Aaron Bishop	803-231-7556
Superintendent	Dr. Percy A. Mack	803-231-7500



THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

2014

ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT CARD

RATINGS OVER 5-YEAR PERIOD

YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING
2014	Excellent	Good
2013	Excellent	Excellent
2012	Excellent	Good
2011	Excellent	Excellent
2010	Good	Good

DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS

- Excellent - School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Good - School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Average - School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Below Average - School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- At-Risk - School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision

SOUTH CAROLINA PERFORMANCE VISION

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

<http://ed.sc.gov>
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ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF CAREER CENTERS*

Excellent	Good	Average	Below Average	At-Risk
29	8	3	0	0

NOTE: Ratings are calculated with data available by 05/18/2015.

School Profile

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Median Career Center
Students (n = 872)			
With disabilities	6.1%	Up from 3.8%	11.4%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	25.0%	Up from 22.7%	24.2%
Enrollment in career/technology courses	872	Up from 842	586
Students participating in work-based experiences	19.0%	Up from 0.0%	19.0%
Teachers (n = 36)			
Teachers with advanced degrees	38.9%	Up from 28.1%	25.0%
Continuing contract teachers	69.4%	Down from 81.3%	74.5%
Teachers returning from previous year	93.5%	Up from 90.4%	90.5%
Teacher attendance rate	95.4%	Up from 94.8%	95.8%
Average teacher salary*	\$51,350	Down 1.2%	\$48,775
Professional development days/teacher	9.1 days	Down from 9.3 days	13.2 days
Center			
Director's years at center	11.0	Up from 10.0	4.0
Dollars spent per pupil**	N/A	N/A	N/A
Percent expenditures for teacher salaries**	N/A	N/A	N/A
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	N/A	N/A	N/A
Parents attending conferences	60.7%	Down 78.4%	85.0%
SACS accreditation	Yes	No change	Yes

* Includes current year teachers contracted for 185 or more days.

** Prior year audited financial data are reported.

Evaluations by Teachers, Students and Parents

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	26	96	42
Percent satisfied with learning environment	80.8%	81.3%	88.0%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	96.2%	87.6%	82.9%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	61.6%	85.4%	77.5%

* Only students at the highest High school grade level and their parents were included.

Abbreviations for Missing Data

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Performance By Student Groups

	Technical Skill Attainment			Graduation Rate			Placement Rate		
	This Center		State Center Average	This Center		State Center Average	This Center		State Center Average
	n	%	%	n	%	%	n	%	%
All Students	539	90.2%	90.3%	102	95.1%	93.0%	283	95.4%	96.9%
Students with Disabilities on Diploma Track	33	87.9%	81.4%	8	87.5%	74.2%	5	100.0%	96.3%
Gender									
Male	273	90.8%	87.6%	48	93.8%	91.4%	121	92.6%	96.9%
Female	266	89.5%	93.2%	54	96.3%	94.5%	162	97.5%	96.9%
Racial/Ethnic Group									
White	88	95.5%	92.9%	12	91.7%	94.4%	12	91.7%	96.8%
African American	427	88.8%	86.8%	85	95.3%	91.3%	99	99.0%	96.4%
Asian/Pacific Islander	3	I/S	89.5%	1	I/S	96.7%	0	N/A	100.0%
Hispanic	19	94.7%	92.5%	3	I/S	95.0%	2	I/S	96.3%
American Indian/Alaskan	2	I/S	97.8%	1	I/S	99.0%	0	N/A	100.0%
Migrant Status									
Migrant	0	N/A	80.0%	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Proficiency									
Limited English Proficient	11	90.9%	90.6%	0	N/A	0.0%	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socio-Economic Status									
Subsidized meals	358	89.9%	87.7%	102	95.1%	93.3%	176	94.9%	96.3%

NOTE: n=number of students on which percentage is calculated; t=number of tests taken.

Definitions of Performance Rating Terms

* Technical Skill Attainment --- The percentage of students enrolled in career and technology courses at the center who earn a 2.0 or above on the final course grade.

* Graduation Rate --- The percentage of 12th grade career and technology students who graduate in the spring.

* Placement Rate --- The percentage of career and technology completers available for placement over a 3-year period who are actually placed in postsecondary instruction, military services, or employment.

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Report of Director and School Improvement Council

Heyward Career and Technology's motto is: "Heyward—Where Your Future Begins!" Students from seven high schools in Richland County School District One as well as Richland One Middle College have the opportunity to jumpstart their careers in career and technical programs, a school-based enterprise, and a graduation acceleration program. (1) We provide courses in Architecture and Construction; Arts, AV Technology, and Communications; Health Science; Hospitality and Tourism; Human Services; Information Technology; Manufacturing; Marketing, Sales and Service; and Transportation, Distribution and Logistics. (2) Richland One Works (ROW), our school-based enterprise, offers work-based experiences and provides transition services for students throughout the district. (3) The Richland One Excel Academy provides an online environment that allows students to accrue or recover academic credits that lead to on-time graduation.

State and/or national certifications are available in CISCO Networking/Computer Repair, Health Science, Automotive Technology, Barbering, Cosmetology, Culinary Arts, Nail Technology, Pharmacology, Construction, and Welding. Four of our courses are offered for honors credit: CISCO Networking, Computer Repair, Health Science and Sports Medicine. Our Diesel Technology program is one of only four national high school partnerships with NaviStar—the largest manufacturer of diesel engines in the world. In 2014-15, we will offer Entertainment and Media Technology for students who are interested in the television and broadcasting industry.

For the past several years, we have received AYP (Adequate Yearly Progress) as well as the Palmetto Gold/Silver Award. Four teachers are nationally board certified.

Our student organizations are DECA, FCCLA, HOSA and SkillsUSA which provide leadership skills and opportunities for students to compete at the local, state, and national levels.

As we prepare for district accreditation in the fall of 2014, we have received valuable input from various stakeholders. This led to the creation of a school renewal plan designed to improve instruction for all students that attend Heyward Career and Technology Center.

Jane Olsgaard, SIC Chairperson

Sherry Rivers, Principal

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ESEA/Federal Accountability Rating System

In July 2013, the South Carolina Department of Education was granted a waiver from several accountability requirements of the Federal High and Secondary Education Act (ESEA). This waiver allowed SC to replace the former pass/fail system with one that utilizes more of the statewide assessments already in place and combine these subject area results with graduation rate (in high schools) to determine if each school met the target or made progress toward the target. This analysis results in a letter grade for the school rather than the pass/fail system of previous years. For a detailed review of the matrix for each school and districts that determined the letter grade, please use the following link: <http://ed.sc.gov/data/esea/> or request this information from your child's district or school.

Overall Weighted Points Total	N/A
Overall Grade Conversion	N/A

Index Score	Grade	Description
90-100	A	Performance substantially exceeds the state's expectations.
80-89.9	B	Performance exceeds the state's expectations.
70-79.9	C	Performance meets the state's expectations.
60-69.9	D	Performance does not meet the state's expectations.
Less than 60	F	Performance is substantially below the states' expectations.

Accountability Indicator (Title I Schools)

Heyward Career and Technology Center has been designated as a:

	Title I Reward for Performance - among the highest performing Title I schools in a given year.
	Title I Reward for Progress - one of the schools with substantial progress in school subgroups.
	Title I Focus School - one of the schools with the highest average performance gap between subgroups.
	Title I Priority School - one of the lowest 5% lowest performing Title I schools.
	Title I School - does not qualify as Reward, Focus or Priority School.
X	Non-Title I School - therefore the designations above are not applicable.

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